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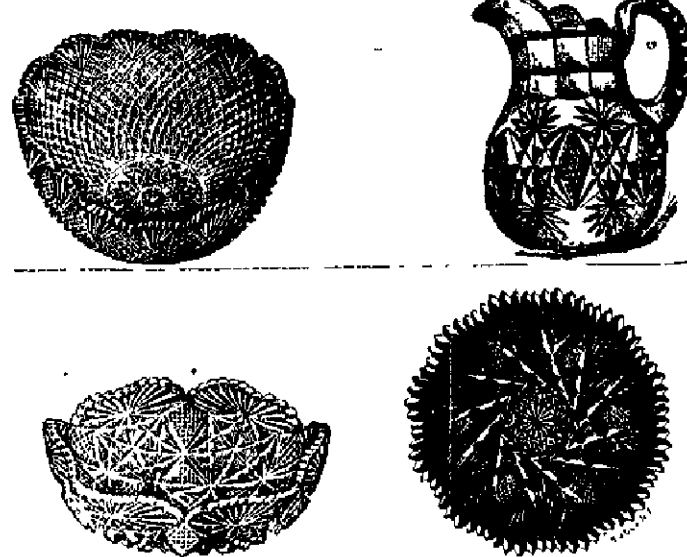




GLASSWARE This Time.



Our third annual SPECIAL SALE OF GLASSWARE will open Monday morning, February 27th. In this sale we will offer our ENTIRE LINE OF OUT GLASS, as well as the less expensive lines of this and heavy Tumblers, Pitchers, Sugar and Creamers, Rose Bowls, Cake Stands, Sherbet Cups, Sugar Sifters, Vinegar Cruets, Water Bottles, Salts, Syrup Jugs, Butter Dishes, Wine Sets, Water Sets, Whisky Sets, Lemonade Sets, Lawn Tennis Sets, and everything in glassware you ever heard of. This sale, like all our special sales, will have much more in regards prices and variety, that you will miss the opportunity of another year if you do not secure some of the bargains we shall offer. All goods in this sale will be shown on first floor.



OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO., Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

A TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER In Prices This Week, at JOHN FINN'S.

- Fancy Japan Rice, per pound, 3 1/2c per lb, 8 lbs for 25c
- New Hominy, 3 1/2c per lb, 8 lbs for 25c
- Fancy Broken Java Coffee, per lb, 20c
- Good Baking Powder in one lb. cans, 10c
- 6 lbs Fresh Rolled Oats for, 25c
- Choice Lemons, per dozen, 15c
- Sweet Chocolate, sold everywhere at 10c per cake, our price, 5c
- Premium Chocolate, regular price 25c per cake, our price 20c
- 3 lb. California Damson Plums, per can, 15c
- 3 lb. California Table Peaches, per can, 17c
- 3 lb. California Apricots, per can, 17c
- 3 lb. Bartlett Pears, per can, 15c
- 3 lb. Asparagus, worth 35c per can, our price, 20c

Our stock of Canned Goods and Dried Fruits is one of the most complete in the city.

JOHN FINN, 333 North Water Street. Telephone 341.

WATER COLORS By Celebrated Artists.

NEW LOT JUST RECEIVED. Prices reasonable. Call and see them.

J. Edward Saxton POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

GREAT BARGAINS!

Has inaugurated a grand Clearance Sale for the month of March, embracing a full and complete line of BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS preparatory to the arrival of an immense stock of Spring and Summer Footgear.

We Must Make Room for his Big Stock that is in Transit. We are selling the present stock out at LESS THAN THE RETAILER'S COST. So now is the time to buy, and

WALTER HUTCHIN'S Is the place to buy. 117 NORTH WATER STREET.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

OUR SYRUP OF Tar and Wild Cherry IS THE BEST REMEDY ON THE MARKET FOR COUGHS, COLDS, ETC.

KING & WOOD, DRUGGISTS.

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The illness of the deceased was of short duration and his death was a great surprise and shock to his parents, brothers and sisters. He had attended the show Saturday night and was in the best of spirits and health apparently. He was also at the Palace hotel after midnight laughing and chatting with companions. He then retired to his room for the night on the street, his fellow roomer, Bert Norman and one or two companions, went to his room and found the door locked, and could hear that he was breathing heavily. A colored girl was helped through the transom and unlocked the door. The unfortunate man had thus lost consciousness and could not be aroused. Dooton Ryan and Frasse were summoned, but he was beyond human help and breathed his last at 6:50 o'clock.

Death was supposedly caused by fatty degeneration of the heart combined with the effects of the excessive use of alcohol. The deceased was born in Deuster, July 6, 1885, and was a member of Toledo Lodge of Elks. He was a son of Col. D. J. Block, proprietor of the Palace hotel, who survives him. There also remain to grieve his death, his mother, three sisters, Mrs. Frank E. Williams, Misses Rose and Sally Block and two brothers, David and Will, all of whom live in Springfield, except Will, who is engaged for a theatrical troupe on the road.

Below of Room Mates. R. B. Rogers told the story, dead to lot 9 and 10, block 2, in Rogers' addition, Argonne—\$225. James J. Finn to Lincoln Steel, Madison to tract of land in 32, 15, 2, east—\$2125. Kate R. Gross et al to Margaret A. Harty, quit claim to lot 9, 10, 11, 12, block 2, original village of Niantic—\$400. Kate R. Gross et al to Elizabeth G. Corbett, quit claim to lot 9, 10, 11, 12, block 2, original village of Niantic—\$400. Elizabeth G. Corbett et al to Kate R. Gross, quit claim to lot 9, 10, 11







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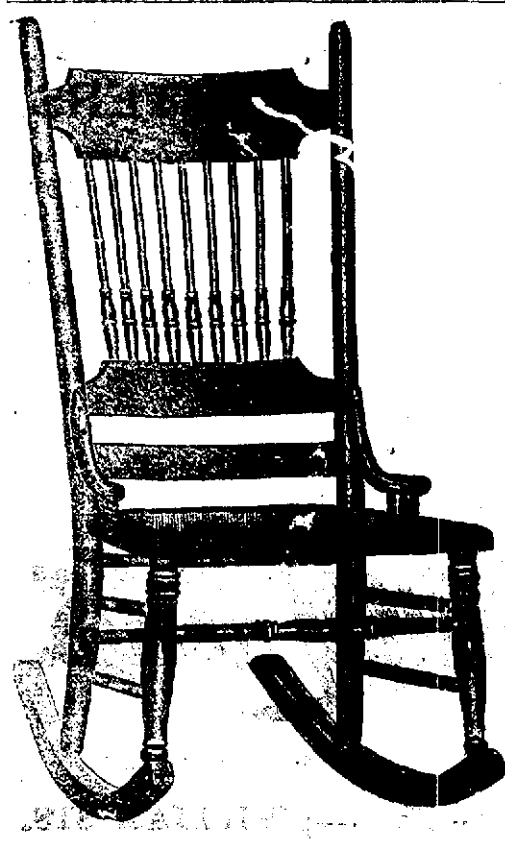
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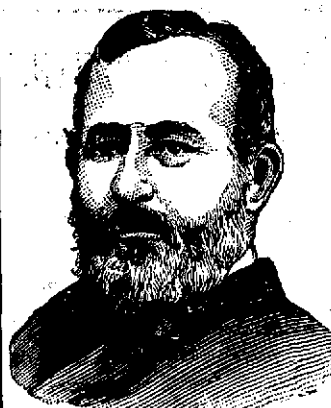
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THE NAVAL REVIEW.



BANDROFT GHERARDI.

Pastor of the Navy Department  
Order of January 14, Rear Admiral Band-  
croft Gherardi assumed command of the  
North and South Atlantic fleets which  
are to participate in the great naval re-  
view. The armored cruiser New York,  
which will soon be put into commission,  
will be the flagship of the Naval Review  
Fleet. All the crack vessels of the  
"New Navy" will participate, along with  
a large contingent of foreign war vessels.  
Bandcroft Gherardi was born in Louisi-  
ana on November 10, 1832, entered the  
navy from Massachusetts in 1846 and  
after six years at sea became a cadet at  
the Naval Academy. He was made a  
master and commissioned a lieutenant in  
1856—in 1861 was serving in the Pacific  
squadron. He served in the Federal  
navy during the war. In the year 1874 he  
was made a captain, a commodore in  
1884, and rear admiral by President  
Cleveland in 1887. Admiral Gherardi is  
a fine looking and dignified officer.

The great review will take place at  
Hampton Roads and New York harbor  
in April. Great Britain, France, Russia,  
Germany, Austria, Italy, Turkey, Greece,  
Spain, Brazil, Sweden, Holland, and the  
other states represented will each send  
some of their finest vessels.

The legislature having failed to elect  
a Senator from Missouri the governor  
has appointed J. M. Manly, Republican  
of Butte to succeed Senator Sanders.

"Garn" suggests that Grover Cleveland  
may become the next candidate of  
the Republican party for president.  
Should this prediction prove true what  
would become of Gresham?

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND still barks  
about removing the burdens from the  
people in spite of the fact that the rep-  
resentatives of his party have just ap-  
propriated over a billion dollars for the  
current expenses of the government.  
How does he expect to remove any part  
of this burden by "tariff reform"?

The Democratic congress has done  
what it could to bankrupt the treasury,  
but it failed notwithstanding the fact  
that it has appropriated \$1,100,000,000  
the only congress that ever appropriated  
a billion dollars for the current expenses  
of the government. Having failed to  
administer the affairs of government  
economically, it is to be hoped the Demo-  
cratic party will come to trouble the  
people with that old maxim:

The bill providing for the appoint-  
ment of a district attorney and a mar-  
shal for the middle district of Alabama  
which was vetoed by the President was  
passed over the veto. The vote in the  
Senate stood 58 yeas to 1 nay. Senator  
Hox stated the veto was based on the  
opposition that the bill legislated out  
of office two district attorneys and two  
marshals without providing for the dis-  
charge of the duties which is not the  
case.

A KENTUCKIAN has presented Vice  
President Stevenson with a gravel made  
from an oak grown on the farm upon  
which Abraham Lincoln was born. This  
will not be very highly appreciated by  
Mr. Stevenson, judging from the fact  
that in his last Fourth of July oration at  
Peoria he managed to avoid even so  
much as a reference to Abraham Lin-  
coln; and he did the same in his address  
on Washington's birthday. A patriotic  
address in this country with Lincoln and  
his patriotic service to the country  
omitted amounts to an insult to the  
memory of Lincoln, and an American  
who could stoop to such a thing will care  
little for the Lincoln feature of the  
gravel.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND in his message  
sets for fair treatment of the nations  
Indian wards, but has little concern for  
fair treatment of our nation's colored  
citizens. We have taken the country  
from the Indians by war and chicanery  
and owe them fair treatment of course,  
but on the other hand we took the col-  
ored race from their own country brought  
him here without his consent, and en-  
slaved him. Now that he is free he is en-  
titled to fair treatment in as great a  
degree as the Indian, and is also entitled  
to have his case presented to the Amer-  
ican people in the message of a president,  
so long as he is denied the rights guar-  
anteed to him by the constitution a  
president takes an oath to obey.

"Paternalism" and "Tariff Reform."  
It is to be deplored that President  
Cleveland, with all his reputation for  
successful independence, either lacked  
the courage or political honesty to be fair  
with the people in his inaugural address.  
In this respect he does not compare fa-  
vorably with his predecessor, who never  
dealt in ambiguities. "The people were  
never at a loss to formulate an opinion  
as to what he meant. This comes from  
the fact that Mr. Harrison represented a  
party that has the courage of its con-  
victions, while Cleveland represents a  
party that works for power by indirection.  
On the two main questions that concern  
the people at this time the Democratic  
party is divided and Mr. Cleveland failed  
to exercise the courage to talk plainly about  
them. These are the tariff and the en-  
slavement questions.

The Democratic platform declares it to  
be a fundamental principle of the party  
that protection is unconstitutional. Mr.  
Cleveland talks about "tariff reform" in-  
stead of openly declaring protection to be  
unconstitutional and that in ob-

dience to the result of the election every  
feature of protection shall be wiped out.  
And he then proceeds to further beguile  
the minds of the people by the use of a  
new word with which to bait the public  
during his term of office—the word "pa-  
ternalism."

What is "paternalism," as applied to  
the general government? Prior to 1860  
it was "State Sovereignty," and it was a  
belief in that dogma that led South  
Carolina to nullify the tariff laws of the  
Federal government, and later on led the  
South to secede from the Union. In de-  
nying the power of the Federal govern-  
ment they denied what Cleveland now  
calls its "paternalism."

After the war when the Federal govern-  
ment, under the Republican party, at-  
tempted to give the states a republican  
form of government, the same people  
modified their demand for state sov-  
ereignty to "Home Rule," which was a de-  
nial of the right of the government to  
enforce Federal law in the states. Mr.  
Cleveland's "paternalism" belongs to the  
same crop, but is disguised to deceive  
the people as to its true meaning. Mr.  
Cleveland says:

The verdict of 50 or 60 voters which con-  
demned the injury of maintaining pro-  
tection for protection's sake enjoins upon  
the people's servants the duty of de-  
stroying the brood of kindred evils  
which are the unwholesome progeny of  
paternalism.

What is paternalism in the Cleveland  
lexicon? It is national legislation for  
the benefit of the people. If the enact-  
ment of protective tariff laws is "pa-  
ternalism," the enactment of revenue laws  
is no less "paternalism," and yet he says  
in defying "paternalism."

I refer to the prevalence of a popular  
disposition to expect from the operation  
of the government special and direct  
individual advantages.

This is precisely what the people have  
a right to expect. This is what the  
Democratic party promised the people in  
the campaign, and it was upon this prom-  
ise that Mr. Cleveland was elected, and it  
is rank cowardice and reckless disonesty  
to hide behind an ambiguity as an  
excuse for the adoption of a bad policy.  
It is no less "paternalism" in relation  
to inter-state commerce, bankruptcies,  
elections, divorces, lotteries,  
and so on, than it is to enact laws in re-  
lation to the tariff and income.

The government is not an imperial thing,  
an entity outside the people, as Cleveland  
assumes. Lincoln said it was "of the  
people and for the people and by the  
people." There is no "paternalism" about  
its acts. It is the people acting for  
themselves by their representatives and  
not for themselves and in their own  
interests and it is useless for Mr. Cleve-  
land to attempt to confine the public  
mind on this matter. The Republicans  
believe that a protective tariff is best for  
the people. The Democrats have de-  
clared that protection is not only bad  
but unconstitutional, and the result of  
the election gives the Democratic author-  
ity to try their policy for the benefit of  
the people, and they do not want Mr.  
Cleveland to begin harping about pater-  
nalism. What they want is for Mr.  
Cleveland and his party in plain English  
to go to work and carry out the Demo-  
cratic platform and campaign decla-  
rations in relation to the tariff.

**Immigrant Law.**  
Senator Chandler's immigration bill  
which was characterized by Mills of  
Texas as a bill for the defeat of the Demo-  
cratic party, was passed and received the  
president's signature during the  
closing hours of congress. The bill pro-  
vides that steamship companies must  
prepare and authenticate at the port of  
departure lists of their emigrant passen-  
gers, containing full information concern-  
ing them, and deliver them upon arrival  
to immigrant inspectors instead of trans-  
ferring such passengers to the control of  
the inspectors wholly undocumented.  
Doubtful questions concerning the right  
of an immigrant to admission shall be  
decided after special inquiry by four offi-  
cials subject to an appeal to the secretary  
of the treasury. The bill also increases  
by three the excluded classes of aliens as  
follows: Those that are over 15 years of  
age that are illiterate; epileptic, blind,  
persons or others physically imperfect,  
unless they can show satisfactorily that  
they will not become a public charge,  
and persons belonging to societies which  
favor or justify the unlawful destruction  
of property and life. This is a good law  
as far as it goes, and according to Mills  
it is calculated to hurt the receding  
ground of the Democratic party, it ought  
not only to hurt it but the party ought  
to be forced out of business.

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if you keep at it, is  
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brown hair, a fair complexion, and grey  
eyes. She is clever as a lecturer and ir-  
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inflammation can be taken out and this  
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catarrh of the Eustachian Tube, which  
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**Executor's Notice.**  
Estate of Emma W. Wilson, Deceased.  
The undersigned, having been appointed  
Executor of the estate of Emma W. Wilson,  
deceased, of the County of Madison and  
State of Kentucky, deceased, hereby gives notice  
that she will receive and pay all claims  
against the estate of Emma W. Wilson,  
deceased, at the Court House in Decatur,  
Ill., on the first Monday in May next, at  
which time all persons having claims  
against the estate of Emma W. Wilson,  
deceased, are notified and requested to  
present the same for payment. All  
persons indebted to said estate are re-  
quested to make immediate payment to the  
undersigned.  
Dated this 3rd day of February, 1906.  
LOUISE W. WILSON, Executor.

**Administrator's Notice of  
Final Settlement.**  
MAON COUNTY, ILL.  
To the heirs and creditors of the estate of E. F.  
Macon, deceased, do hereby give notice that  
the undersigned, Administrator of the  
estate of E. F. Macon, deceased, will on  
Monday the 27th day of March, 1906, at  
the Court House in Decatur, Ill., receive  
and pay all claims against the estate  
of E. F. Macon, deceased, and will also  
pay all debts due by the estate. All  
persons indebted to said estate are re-  
quested to make immediate payment to the  
undersigned.  
Dated this 3rd day of February, 1906.  
H. H. WOODCOCK, Administrator.

**Redemption Notice.**  
To G. B. H. Hughes and the owners and parties in-  
terested in the land or lots hereinafter de-  
scribed:  
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands  
and town lots of Macon county, Illinois, on the 25th  
day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., the  
undersigned, Sheriff of Macon county, Illinois, will  
sell to the highest bidder for cash the following  
described premises: Lot 10 in block 10 (10) in  
Block 10, in the 1st range of town 10 S. of range  
of D. D. Randolph and that the time for the  
redemption of said land will expire on the 25th  
day of June, A. D. 1906.  
M. P. MURPHY, Sheriff.

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M. P. MURPHY, Sheriff.

**Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.**  
By virtue of an order issued from the county  
court of Macon county, Illinois, to sell real es-  
tate to pay debts, the undersigned, Administrator  
of the estate of George B. Burd, deceased, will  
sell to the highest bidder for cash the following  
described premises: Lot 10 in block 10 (10) in  
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of D. D. Randolph and that the time for the  
redemption of said land will expire on the 25th  
day of June, A. D. 1906.  
H. H. WOODCOCK, Administrator.

**Notice to Holders of Time Warrants.**  
STATE OF ILLINOIS: To whom it may come.  
COUNTY OF MAON: Do hereby give notice that  
the undersigned, Sheriff of Macon county, Illinois,  
will on Monday the 27th day of March, 1906,  
at the Court House in Decatur, Ill., receive  
and pay all claims against the estate of E. F.  
Macon, deceased, and will also pay all debts  
due by the estate. All persons indebted to  
said estate are requested to make immediate  
payment to the undersigned.  
Dated this 3rd day of February, 1906.  
H. H. WOODCOCK, Sheriff.

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